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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Se-ho Lee
Serial No.: 10/692,578
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**NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE
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Sir:

Pursuant to 35 USC § 134, 37 CFR § 41.31, and MPEP § 1205, the Applicant in the above-identified patent application hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Office Action dated September 25, 2006 at least twice rejecting or finally rejecting claim 1, 3 and 24.

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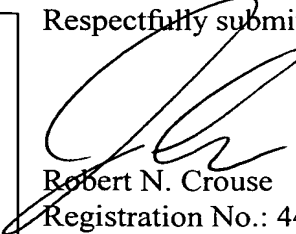
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☒ Also enclosed: Pre Appeal Brief Request for Review; Reasons in Support of Applicant's Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review.

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